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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

20 This Amendment is responsive to the Advisory Action and Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated 04/20/2006 for the above-identified patent application. A set of amended claims is enclosed herein. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of the application.

- Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.
- Listing of Claims begins on page 9 of this paper.

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Applicant does not believe that filing of this Amendment will incur additional fees. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees due to the Glenn Patent Group Deposit Account No. 07-1445, Customer No. 22862. Applicant considers this document to be filed in a timely manner.